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TAGS: ETRD, EAGR

SUBJECT: SUGAR DATA

REF STATE 66941

1. ESTIMATE FOR AVERAGE PRODUCTION COST FOR 1976-77 IS L154/ACRE, VARIABLE L40/ACRE, FIXED L114/ACRE. AVERAGE YIELD 1976 10 METRIC TONS OF BEET PER ACRE. AVERAGE RAW SUGAR CONTENT OF BEET WAS 16 PER CENT. FARM PRODUCTION AVERAGE COST THEN FIGURED AT 7.65 CENTS PER POUND, FIXED COST 5.66 CENTS PER POUND, VARIABLE COST, 1.99 CENTS PER POUND. (L1 EQUALS \$1.75)
2. DOMESTIC PRICE PAID TO FARMERS IS L20/METRIC TON FOR SUGAR BEET, 16 PER CENT SUGAR CONTENT PLUS TRANSPORT COST (AVERAGE L1.30/TON). IN TERMS OF BEET 16 PER CENT SUGAR CONTENT, PRICE PAID TO FARMERS IS 10.51 CENTS PER POUND RAW SUGAR.
3. RETAIL CONSUMER PRICE OF REFINED SUGAR AT L1 EQUALS \$1.75 IS 20.23 CENTS PER POUND.

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4. AVERAGE F.O.B. UNIT VALUE OF 1976 EXPORT SHIPMENTS OF REFINED SUGAR WAS L223.36 PER METRIC TONS. UK DOES NOT EXPORT RAW SUGAR. EXPORT VALUE 16.31 CENTS PER POUND RAW SUGAR BASIS (CONVERSION RATE OF 92.100 USED TO CONVERT WHITE TO RAW)
5. QUESTION NO. 6 DOES NOT APPLY TO UK.

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